## **2016 HOLIDAYS**

- <u>January 1</u> Friday New Year's Day U.S. & Paraguayan
- January 18 Monday M. L. King's Birthday U.S.
- <u>February 15</u> Monday Washington's Birthday U.S.
- \*February 29 Monday Heroes' Day Paraguayan
- March 24 Thursday Holy Thursday Paraguayan
- March 25 Friday Good Friday Paraguayan
- May 1 Sunday Labor Day Paraguayan
- May 14 & 15 Saturday and Sunday Independence Day Paraguayan
- May 30 Monday Memorial Day U.S.
- June 12 Sunday Chaco Armistice Paraguayan
- July 4 Monday Independence Day U.S.

- August 15 Monday Founding of Asuncion Paraguayan
- <u>September 5</u> Monday Labor Day U.S.
- \*\*October 3 Monday Victory at Boquerón Paraguayan
- October 10 Monday Columbus Day U.S.
- November 11 Friday Veterans' Day U.S.
- November 24 Thursday Thanksgiving Day U.S.
- <u>December 8</u> Thursday Virgin of Caacupe Day Paraguayan
- \*\*\*<u>December 26</u> Monday Christmas Day U.S.
  & Paraguayan

<sup>\*</sup>March 1, the legal public Paraguayan holiday falls on a Tuesday. To promote tourism, the holiday will be observed on Monday, February 29.

<sup>\*\*</sup>September 29, the legal public Paraguayan holiday falls on a Thursday. To promote tourism, the holiday will be observed on Monday, October 3.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>December 25, 2016 (the legal public holiday for Christmas Day), falls on a Sunday. For this reason Monday, December 26, will be treated as a holiday.